There Were Only Occasional Pauses in Downward Course

NO RELIEF TO WEAKNESS

Net Declines of One to Two Points and Upwards Quite General Throughout the List-Bonds Stronger

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—There was practically no relief to the weakness of to-day's stock market from start to finish. There was an occasional pause in the downward course of prices, which was simply due to a lull in the selling movement, but the usual rebound on short covering was in every case (coole and ineffective. The last prices were practically the lowest of to-day, and the closing was weak. Net declines of 1 to 2 points and upwards are quite general throughout the list. There was nothing to show that the liquidation was due to contraction of credits, such as forced the heavy selling in the recent past, although there are time loans, maturing from time to time, which are called for payment, and difficult to secure any extension for. But to-day's liquidation seemed to be prompted more by sentiment of disgust and discouragement with the whole situation in the securities market. The extended reports this morning of the testimony clicited yesterday in the hearing of the legal proceedings connected with the United States Shipbuilding combination, created a profound impression throughout the linancial world. The details there set forth of the process of corporation promotion, underwriting, and stock flotation, gave rise to disturbing analogies with a large mass of industrial securities, which have come into the market in the last few years, and are now lying there in a practically waterlogged position. The assumptions growing out of yesterday's disclosures, were of so grave a character, and applied to such important quarters as to unsettle the mind of the financial public over the most conservative convictions. The gravity of the occasion received its recognition in the unusual course of the public statement issued later in the day, formally disclaiming the implications of the incident by J. P. Morgan and Company, Following the widespread disturbance of sentiment in the market caused by the reduction of the dividend on United States Steel, common, sold down to its previous record at 14 -5, and the preferred stock was even more soverely handled with a decline of 2 -5. Yesterday's argument that the reduction in the dividend dishursement. Amalgamated Copper was the

MONEY AND EXCHANGE—CLOSE:
Money on call, steady; lowest, 1 1-2 per
cent; highest, 2 1-2 per cent; ruling rate,
2 1-4 per cent; last loan, 2 1-2 per cent;
closing, 262 1-8 per cent; time loans,
asy, on large offerings; sixty-days,
4 3-465 per cent; ninety days, 5 per cent;
six months, 5 1-465 1-2 per cent; prime
mercantile paper, 636 1-2 per cent; prime
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fing exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bilis, at 31-35.694,53-76
or demand, and at 44-33-334-33-35 for
sixty-day bilis; posted rates, 34:33 and
4.83 1-24; 57; commercial bills, 5b.82 1-36
4.82 1-4; bar silver, 59 3-8; Mexican dollars,
64 1-4.

Wall Street, Gossip.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The opening of the stock market was irregular and rather heavy, in view of the lower tone in Iondon. Traders were somewhat bearish and commission houses were without orders for the most part. The general opinion among the representative houses was that the disclosures in the United States Shipbuilding case would tend still further to restrict public interest in the market.

Amaigamated Copper was weak in sympathy with the heavy tone of copper stocks in Loudon. The other Standard Oil stocks were heavy, so that the room was inclined to discount stories of weakness in the market for the metal and declining demand.

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The renewal of liquidation in the United States Steel Issues in Loudon had an unfavorable effect. The most serious of the selling seemed to come from Pittsburg and the Middle West.

The keynote of the speculation in the early morning was the discussion of the lodustrial situation, stimulated by the recent reduction in Sicel dividend and failing off of earnings of that corporation. The principal effect of these induceces was felt in Amalgamated Copper, which continued to be sold freely. Traders argued that the reaction in the metal industry would probably include copper in its movements, and in consequence doubts were expressed that the present dividend in Amalgamated Copper would be long sustained. While speculation was not marked by conspicuous liquidation, the sentiment of the trading element was inclined to despondency.

WORMSER BOUGHT UNION PACIFIC:

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Wormser and the traders were the buyers of
Union Pacific, which again acted well. There
seems to be some demand for it in the loan
crowd, principally by the Western houses, who
are borrowers of stocks to quite a considerable
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The selling of Amaigamated Considerable and Adams was considered good, as they get credit for doing some Standard Oil business.

Houseman, who was one of the largest buyers last week, was a seller of stocks around the room.

LOST GROUND IN THE FIRST HOUR: The market continued to lose ground through-out the first hours trading, and although the volume of long stock coming out was not very great in any particular issue, it was considerable

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	American Sn	iff com	***		***	90	110	O DO CHESTO	Mexican Central		10%	10%	10%	10%	11
	American Sn	uff pfd				70	90	11050	Missouri Pacific		89	89	87%	87%	87%
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200	American Cr		Total State		20	25 72	30	3395	New York Central			116%	11554	11514	11514
100	Amer. Locom		1434	1434	1494	1416	14%	1500	N. Y., Ont, and Weste	ern	20%	21	2016	20	2014
750	Amer, Locon			8014	79%	7916	80%	1500	Norfolk and Wester		56%	5674	56%	5614	56%
100	Amer, Tobacc			100		130	142	39919	Pennsylvania		11814	11814	11756	1171/4	117%
3500	Amer, Car an		251/4	2514	24%	25	2514	990	Pressed Steel Car		321/4	33	32	321/4	23 78
1900	American Sug			11016	1081/4	1091/2	100		Pressed Steel Car pfd		9114	9134	9014	76 9014	90%
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18500	Amalgamated		3834	38%	35%	35% 72%	35% 73	800	Reading 2d pfd		1078	10 78		60	64
2750	Baltimore an		741/9	7414	7276	3254	32%	220	Republic I. and S. cor.		9	9	9	87/4	9
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350	Chi., R. I, and	Pac	245%	25	2358	23%	2378	1650	Southern Ry, com		1854 7614	7614	7614	76	7614
300	Col. Fuel and		40	40	40	40	42	950	Southern Ry, pfd		3154	3134	29	2934	291/4
400	Chi. Great W	estern	15	1514	14%	1514	151/2	6487	Tean, Coal and Iron. Texas Pacific	****	23	23	2214	2234	23
	C., C., C. and	1 St. L	***	151	141	691/2	1724	1100	Union Pacific com		7074	71	6954	6934	6974
700	Consolidated			171%	1701/2	171	154	30520	Union Pacific pfd					8414	85
600	Del. and Hu		153	153	152	230	234	60335	U. S. Steel com		1614	1614	1474	147/8	15
	Del., Lack. a		****	****	2674	207%	27	63450	U. S. Steel pfd		6434	65	623%	625%	62%
2/25	Erie com			6614	6514	6514	6514	675	VaCar. Chem. com.		19%	1936	181/2	18	19
2485	Erie 1st pfd			4814	46%	4634	47	10000	VaCar. Chem. pfd.		***** 1	22.4	200	83	93
2200	Erie 2d pfd General Elec			14414	1401/4	142	143	250	Wabash com		18%	18%	181/4	18 3014	3054
1094	Illinois Centr			129%	1281/6	12814	128%	2300	Wabash pfd		30%	3074	8154	81%	82
700	Leather		644	6%	684	654	676	700	Western Union	****	81%	821/2	1556	15%	16
2300	Louisville ar	d Nash		98%	97	97	971/2	700	Wisconsin Central	*****	16 35%	3534	2774	3514	36
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in the aggregate. Traders were bearish and were looking for soft spoits.

The weakness in American Telephone was, of course, due to the decision against the company in its case with the Western Union It was noticeable that Western Union was wesk also, from which traders inferred that some considerable helder hurt elsewhere was waiting for such an opportunity to market his stock.

July 9.40 9.40 9.33

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling to continuous guir, 0.50; sales, 1,200

Cotton, quiet; middling, 0.60; net r 1,903 bales; gross, 16,433 bales; sales bales; stock, 111,757 bales; sales bales; stock, 111,757 bales; sales bales; stock, 117,950 bales; export to the continent, bales; stock, 110,003 bales; export to the continent,

for such an opportunity to market his stock.

SHOWED LITTLE RALLYING POWER:
The market showed very little rallying power at mid-day, but there seemed to be some method in the realizing, as the pressure was relaxed with the traders and they tried to hammer stocks. There was probably a good deal of short selling, and perhaps the most genuline business was the tather heavy liquidation for London. London was the heaviest seller of Atchison comment in the early trading. A good dean of Amelgamated Copper was sold for Boston account, and the selling of Sugar probable came from the same quarter. The Standard Oil brokers were used in the former stock her type possibly for effect.

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RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 8, 1903. SALES.

Virginia Es-\$500 at 9115; \$100 t	it 91%	; \$1
GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.		
U. S. 2s, registered, optional U. S. 3s, coupon, 1908-1918	10614	ióó
STATE SECURITIES.	Bid.	Aske
Va. 3s, New, C. and R., 1932	9114	92
Va. Centuries, 2-3, C. and R	9214	
Richmond City 4s, R., 1920-1930	106	•••
RAILROAD BONDS.		
A. C. L. R R. Con. Tr. 4s Cen. of Ga. Ry. con. 5s, 1945 S. A. L. Con. 18t 4s, 1950	00	
Cen. of Ga. Ry. con. 5s, 1945	105	***
S. A. L. Con. 1st 4s, 1950	***	70
RAILROAD STOCKS.		
Atlanta and Charlotte 100	140	
Atlantic Coast Line "A" 100	107	:::
Atlantic Coast Line pfd100	100%	101
Atlantic Coast Line com100 Seaboard Air Line pfd100	2 0	
Seaboard Air Line prd100 Seaboard Air Line cost100	11	1
BANK STOCKS.	12.0	
Broad-Street Bank	25	26
First National100	195	197
Merchants National100	300	
National Bank of Va100 Planters National100	121	
Planters National100	340	52
Savings Bank of Richmond50 Union Bank of Richmond50	165	
Virginia Trust Company100	95	100
INSURANCE COMPANIES.	10.70	
		00
Virginia Fire and Marine25	28	39
Virginia State25		•••
MISCELLANEOUS.	100000	

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET BALTIMORE, MD., Oct. 8.—Seaboard Air Line common, 11½@12; do. preferred, 20%@ 22½, Seaboard 4s. 67% bid. Atlantic Coast Line common, 107@112½; do. preferred, hot

COTTON MARKETS.

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NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The cotton market opened firm at a decline of 2 points on November, but generally are not pointing toward smaller receipts. For a time it ruled fairly steady under further covering and bull support, encouraged by the unfavorable crop advices, but after advancing to a level net 265 points higher, demand sagged, and a sagging tendency developed, which continued more or less in ovidence during the remainder of the session. Trading during the entire day was quiet, and there seemed to be little demand from any source, notwithstanding the buillish tendency of much of the news. The weather forecast indicated frosts for to-night over the Western belt, and this was a factor in the carly advance. But with little demand the realising of the room after the advances of yesterday in connectors, was sufficient to seen price 4660 points lower. Just before the destroyment of the connectors, was sufficient to seen period 4660 points lower. Just before the destroyment was finder the substruction of the substruction of the markets, and the market was finally steady, net unchanged to 6 points lower. Sales were estimated at 250,000 bates. The steader tone at Liverpool was ascribed to further demand from the continent, while it was also stated that the highlish mills would shortly resume operations on full time. The factors operating sagnist the market were the market

against 51,585 bales la	st year.			1
Cotton futures opened Open.	i firm and	Lauv	stendy!	Total Section
October 9.17	0.10	9.10	9.12	1
November 0.21	0.26	0.18	9.18	10
December 9.28	9.31	9.20	0.24	J.
January 0.28	0.31	9.20	9.22	
February	0.82	0.25	0.24	17
March 9.34	0.35	0.23	0.25	10
April	0.28	0.24	0.28	0
May 0.85	9.89	9.28	9,20	1
7	0.84	9.34	0.35	м

Cotton, quiet; middling, 0.60; net receipts, bales; tock; 419,016 bales.
Consolidated at all seaports—Net receipts, 262,111 bales; export to Great Britain, 61,241 bales; to France, 1,080 bales; to the Continent, 36,023 bales; to France, 1,080 bales; to the Continent, 76,023 bales; to France, 55,517 bales; to France, 85,517 bales; to the Continent, 219,461 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Oct. 8.—COTTON—The spot cotton market was very firm, factors

PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK. Oct. 8.—FLOUR—Fairly active and firmer. Winter straights, \$3.75(23.95; Minnesota, \$4.50(4.85). Rye Flour—Quiet. Cernmeal—Firm. Ryo—Steady. Barley—Dull. Wheat—Spot, irregular; No. 2 red, \$2%c. clevator; opened firmer, scored further advances on covering and closed ½(21c, net higher. May closed at \$3.5-16c; December, \$5%c. Corn—Spot, firm; No. 2, 54%c. elevator and \$3.44c, f. o. b. adoat. Options quiet, but developed considerable firmness on higher cables, the wheat strength and a big geport demand. It closed & \$6.5c. net higher. May closed at \$5%c.; December, \$24%c. Oats—Spot, firm; No. 2, 414%c.

CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 8.—Shorts in December wheat were on the anxious sent again to-day as the outcome of small primary receipts and large premiums for cash wheat. The market was unexpectedly strong, the December option closing with a gain of 16215c. December corn was up 350: oats were 5,625c. ligher, butp rowling continued in their downward course, the January products closing from 100g16c, lower.

The leading intures ranged as follows:

		Open.	High.	Low.	Close
EA	T-No.				24000
ec.	(new).	7776	78%	77%	789
lay		7814	79	78	789
ILN-	-No. 2	A CONTRACTOR			
ct.				4.4	451
		4514	45%	45	455
		4414	4436	441/6	449
TS-	-No. 2.	ALL PROPERTY.			
		30	36%	36	364
			30%	36	365
			375a	3674	373
NN.	PORK-	Per bbl	Sales and the		
ct.		.10.90	11.00	10.90	11.00
nn.		.12.00	12.17	12.00	12.00
av		.12.30	12.32	12.15	12.17
	-Per 1	00 lbs.			
ct.		6.75	6:00	6.75	0.75
ee.			6.65	6.55	6.55
in.			6.70	6.50	6.50
ORT	RIBS	-Per 10			
ct.			9.00	8.47	9.00
an.		6.40	6.47	6.35	6.37
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RALTIMORE, MD. Oct. 8.—FLOUR—Steady and unchanged. Wheat—Strong: spot, contract, \$1\frac{1}{2}\text{MSI}\text{Nj.c.}\$, No. 2 red, \$4\frac{1}{2}\text{MSI}\text{Nj.c.}\$ (Cora—Pirm; spot, 50\text{MSI}\text{Sic.}\$) derbote; 50\text{Nj.c.}\text{MSI}\text{Circ.}\$ (Southern white corn. 50\text{MSI}\text{MSI}\text{Circ.}\$ (No. 2, \$\text{MSI}\

RICHMOND PRODUCE MARKET. (Wholesale prices. Quotations corrected Tuesdays and Fridays).

FLOUR-Receipts heavy and market very dull.

RYE-Continues in good demand. Virginia bag RYE—Continues in good demand, Virginia pag-lots wanted, WHEAT—Moderate receipts and demand good. CORN—Supply in excess of demand; prices tending lower. OATS—Steady. HAY—With more liberal receipts the demand

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Dry dint calfakins, per lb.

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MISCELLANEOUS,

FEATHERS—

Live geese, per lb...

Mixed, per lb...

SHEEN APPLES—
SHeer, per lb.
Quartered, per lb.
Common to good, per lb.
DRIED PEACHES—
Peeled, per lb.
Unpeeled, per lb.
CHERRIES—
Pitted (new), dry order.
RASPBERRIES—Per lb.
BLACKBERRIES
WHORTLEBERRIES
WOOL— Tub-washed, free of burrs... Unwashed, free of burrs... Merko, unwashed Burry 2 to Sc. per lb. less. OOTSGlaseng, per lb.
Senica, per lb.
Virginia sanke, per lb.
May apple, per lb.
True pink, per lb.
Wild ginger, free of fibre,
Wild ginger, mattral.
EANUTS-Per lb., farmers.

BUTTER—Active at quotations; recepts accerate.
POULTRY—Chickens not so active this weak
at the prevailing high prices. All other fowls
in good active demand at prices quoted.
VIRGINIA BACON-Recepts light; choice
well curred stock in good demand.
POTATOES—Firm at quotations.
APPLES—Market active for handpicked and
handpacked Virginia stock; other grades quiet
at quotations; receipts moderate.
CATTLE—MARKET—Beef cattle and caives
active; hogs steady; sheep and lambs in good
demand.

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WOOL—Continues active; light receipts.

GAME—The season is now open for Venisond the demand for same is active at full que

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Choice, dairy packed.
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Common to fair
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Crates, fresh stock.
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Per 6 bskt, carrier, choic...
Per 6 bskt, carrier, com....
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TOBACCO MARKET.

Dark Fired Tobacco—(Reordered)—Receipts ontinue light and market very quiet. Tobacco tot in keeping order sells considerably below rices quoted. Brights—Very light receipts and market quiet. San-Cureil—Receipts continue ery light and market steady at unchanged quo-

tions.
The quotations are as follows:
DARK FIRED TOBACCO-REORDERED.

LYNCHBURG TOBACCO MARKET.

Lynchburg Va., Oct. 8, 1903.

Sales of tobacco on the Lynchburg market for the two weeks ending September 29, 1903, reported by John L. Oglesby, of Lynch's Warehouse:

pounds.
The weather during the week has been fav-rable for farm work generally, particularly-for curing tobacco. The tobacco housed has been generally curied and the color fastened, which is about what the trade wants, being red or brown. The late tobacco is being rey nuch improved by the good weather of the past five weeks.

The following are the quotations

Richmond, Va., Oct. 8, 1903. QUOTATIONS.

ist week's quotations; there is little or no de and as yet for clover hay. EGGS—Receipts more liberal and market eas

GG CRATES. 45 0 50
UTTER BUCKETS-Per Gozen 2.75 @ 3.00

 Veals, per lb.
 6 @

 Lambs, per lb.
 4 @

 Sheep, per lb.
 2 @

 S3.50(15.03).

NEW YORK, Oct. S.—BEEVES—Receipts, 211 head, mainly consigned direct; no sales reported. Dressed beef, steady; city dressed, native sides, 6(30c. per pound. Calves—Receipts, 452 head; dull and weak; reported sales were at \$5(36.50) for veals. A bunch of grassers soid at \$5.00 for veals, a bunch of grassers soid at \$5.00 dressed veals, general sales, 9(315c. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,606 head. Sheep, steady; sales of lambs averaged slightly stronger, unless too heavy. Sheep soid at \$53(3.75) few head for export at \$4.25; lambs at \$5.37½(30) Canada lambs at \$5.40. Dressed mutton, 5(4.7½c. per pound; dressed lambs. \$610½c. per pound. Hoge—Receipts, 2,503 head; market 20(2.5c. lower. State hoge, about medium weight, sold at \$6.30; a car of western pigs at \$6. FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. APPLES—
Per bbl., fancy hand pk...
Per bbl., choice hand pk...
Per bbl., medium...
Per bbl., common...
AMSONS—Per bushel
RANGES—Jamaica...

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PETERSBURG TOBACCO MARKET.

Petersburg, Va., Oct. 8, 1903.

There are no sales of tobacco being made in Petersburg at this time. The old crop has been about exhausted and the new crop will not be ready for market for several weeks. So primings are expected to come to the warehouses in this city the latter part of September.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

NORFOLK, VA., Oct. S.—PEANUTS— Farmers' market quiet. Fancy, 3½c.; strictly prime, 3½c.; prime, 3c.; common, 2½ (3&c.; panish, per tushel, 80c. No new crop coming Spanish, per tushel, 80c. PETERSBURG, VA., Oct. S.—PEANUTS— Spanish, 90@0214c. Market firm, stock light and few being offered. Virginia's, 84c. for fancy; market stead;

DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—The dry goods market ha aremained that and featurolest during the day. The demand has been inactive and buyers unwilling to place contracts for forward deliveries until they are note certain regarding the price stituation. Unfavorable weather has also added to the general quiet.

NAVAL STORES.

WILMINGTON, N. C. Otc. 7.—SPIRITS
TURPENTINE—Firm at 57½c.; receipts, 05
casks. Rosin—Firm at 57½c.; receipts, 05
li barrels. Crude Turpentine—Firm at \$2.25@
3.50; receipts, 03 barrels. Tar—Firm at \$2.25@
SAVANNAH, GA., Oct. 7.—TIRPENTINE—
Firma t 57½c.; receipts, 505 casks; salea, 503
casks; exports, 055 casks. Rosin—Firm; receipts, 2.084 barrels; sales, 1,420 barrels; exports, 4,663 barrels.
CHARLESTON, B. C., Oct. 7.—TURPENTINE—Nominal, Rosin—Steady.

COTTONSEED OIL MARKET. COTIONSEED OII MARKET.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Cottonseed oil was moderately active and easier, reflecting further weakness in lard products. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills. 286/30c.; prime summer yellow, 50½c.; apot. October, 376/30½c.; of summer yellow, 306/35c.; prime white, 44c.; prime winter yellow, 45c.

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Sold week ending September 19th. 110.200 pounds; sold week ending September 19th. 110.200 pounds; sold week ending September 26th. 105. 500 pounds; decrease for wee kending September 26th. 10.300 pounds. Sold fr in Decoser 1, 1902, to September 20. 1903, 22.402.900 pounds; toll from October 1, 1902, to September 20. 1903, 21.400.500 pounds; increase for 1903, 862.400 peunds.

BUSINESS AND PERSONAL ACCOUNTS SOLICITED BY

State Bank of Virginia, 1111 E. Main St.,

OIL FIELD

Richmond, Va.

in this week's issue of the Manufacturers' increasing importance of the South in oil production as the older fields tend to decline. From Beaumont, Texas, comes the following:

"Shipments of Beaumont and Soute the statement by water and call during the

reproteum by water and rail during the month of September aggregated 1,500,000 barrels, of which 800,000 barrels went by tank-steamer and barge from Port Arthur and Sabine Pass to New York, New College Bridge 1,500,000 Orleans, Philadelphia, Fort Tampa, Fid., and Plymouth, England. The other 700,000 barrels went by tank-car from Sour Lake and Beaumont, more than 600,000 barrels being shipped from the former point

weakness in lard products. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 256430c; prime summer yellow, 396430c; prime white, 4ic; prime winter yellow, 396430c; prime white, 4ic; prime winter yellow, 366.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, OCT. 8, 1003.

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PORT OF WEST POINT, OCT. S. 1003.

Danville, Short, Baltimore, passengers and general cargo.

Elm City, Haynes, Mattaponi River landings, passengers and general cargo.

Property Transfers.

Richmond-R. Franchione and wife to A. Gillio, 43 11-12 feet on north side Broad Street, between Nineteenth and Twentleth Street, Nos. 1908 and 1919 city, Lighted, and the passengers and general cargo.

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been shipped."

STEADY INCREASE.

During September, too, there have been encouraging developments in the Kentucky-Tennessee field. Correspondence from Barboursville, Ky., describing conditions of the field, still in its first stage, though millions of dollars have been invested there says.

lie E. Power, 21 2-12 feet on north side and Marshall Street, northwest corner Monroe, 84,300.

Heurico-Brookland School Districts trustees to W. S. Blackburn, 5-6 of an area about six miles northwest of Richmond, 2569.

Jacob G. Geffert to Maggle M. Geffert, 164 feet on National Cemetery road, southeast corner Montrose Street, plan of Montrose, 81.

Jacob G. Geffert to Maggle M. Gefferfert, 478 feet on the National Cemetery road, southeast corner Montrose Street, plan of Montrose, 81.

Same to same, 182 5-12 feet on National Cemetery road, northeast corner Williamsburg turnpike, plan of Montrose, 81.

East Virginia Land and Improvement Co, to C. W. Price, 438 feet on north side Rogers Street, northeast corner Canepa, \$1.

Same I. 12 feet north of Q. \$1,000.

W. C. W. Price, 438 feet on north side Rogers Birect, 112 8-12 feet south of St.

Samuel H. Puillam's trustee to Ella Morrison, 30 feet on west side Thenty-second Street, 112 8-12 feet south of St.

Same I. 12 feet north of Q. \$1,000.

W. C. Thacker's trustee to German, American Banking and Building Co., 18 1-12 feet north of Q. \$1,000.

W. C. Thacker's trustee to German, American Banking and Building Co., 18 1-12 feet on west side Thenty-first Street, 199 1-2 feet south of Fairmount Avenue, \$1,000.

Tax Title Co. of Richmond to William M. M. Geffeder, 2 1-2 acres in upper end Honrico county, adjoining lands of Messrs, Crafton, Derbyshire and als., \$200.

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